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Serial No. 09/261,913

Title: Acoustic Echo Cancellation System

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## **AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

The following amendments and remarks are offered in response to the Examiner's Office Action dated October 13, 2004. They are respectfully submitted as a full and complete response to that Office Action. The only amendments made herein are to correct insufficient antecedent basis in Claims 1 and 6. Applicant respectfully requests these amendments be made even if the examiner persists on the rejection since they would limit the issues on appeal. The Commissioner For Patents is hereby authorized to charge the costs or any other fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 20-0668 of Texas Instruments Incorporated.

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Prior to the examination of the above-identified application, please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

--This application claims priority under 35 USC § 119(e)(1) of provisional application number 60/076,575, filed 03/03/98.--

Respectfully submitted,

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IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED 03/24/99 TITLE ACOUSTIC ECHO-CANCELLATION SYSTEM

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